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Six students visited the Alumni Office one day recently to receive Roscoe Pulliam Memorial Scholarship checks and the congratulations of the Alumni Office staff. All are juniors or seniors and have averages above 4.5. Making the presentation were Samuel J. Tabor (extreme right), acting coordinator of Student Financial Assistance, and J. Robert Odaniell (second from right), executive director of the Alumni Association. Students from left—Sara L. O'Neil, Du Quoin; Beverly K. Johns, Elmhurst; Philip D. Nicoll, Aurora; Suzanne I. Farrar, Hardinsburg, Ky.; Daniel K. McEvilly, Belleville; and Jean E. Lobenstein, Carbondale.

## Hi Ho, Let's Go to the Fair

Going to the World's Fair this year? Join the SIU Alumni Group Tour and enjoy special rates, complete arrangements, good companionship. The Alumni Association has planned this tour for members only and their immediate families. No less than 25 persons are required to secure the rate of \$175 per person, including tax.

The group will leave Lambert Airport in St. Louis on Sunday, July 19, by TWA jet tourist, for Kennedy International Airport in New York, returning to Lambert Thursday, July 23. They will stay at Hotel Governor Clinton for five days and four nights, handily located near shopping, theater, and direct transportation to the fair.

The price of \$175 includes round trip plane fare, hotel accommodations (two persons to an air-conditioned room with private bath), airport transfers, sightseeing trips, tips for baggage handling at airport and hotel, two World's Fair admissions with round-trip transportation. The schedule in New York includes a two-hour sightseeing tour of New York, two days at

the fair, boat trips around Manhattan Island and Statue of Liberty, a Broadway play, and tour of the United Nations. A personal representative will be in New York from Travel Consultants of Indiana, which, with the Alumni Association, is managing the tour, to assist the group in every way possible.

A deposit of \$25 must be made with each reservation, with the balance to be paid on or before June 15, deadline for all reservations. Alumni wishing to drive or travel by train or bus can join the group in New York for the five-day program for \$70 per person.

Write the SIU Alumni Office, Carbondale, Illinois 62903, for full details.

## Time for Great Teacher Nominations

It will be Christmas in June for some member of the faculty, active or emeritus, when the fifth Great Teacher is announced at the Alumni Banquet June 13. This will be the climax of Alumni Day festivities, a thrilling moment for the instructor selected for the honor by the alumni members and the Great Teacher Award committee and for those witnessing the presentation.

The reward for being selected Great Teacher is a check for \$1,000, tax free. Sole requisite for this great honor is teaching excellence and has nothing to do with research accomplishments, administrative ability, or popularity. It is intended that the Great Teacher be the personal choice of the alumnus in making his nomination rather than a candidate abetted by any organized campaign.

All members of the association are eligible to vote for the Great Teacher, listing nominations in one, two, three order and including reasons for selection of these faculty members. Ballots will be mailed for voting purposes.

Since the Great Teacher program was instituted in 1960, awards have been presented to the late Douglas Lawson and Dean E. G. Lentz and to Thomas Cassidy and Mrs. Georgia Winn.

As has been the custom in previous years, contributions are being solicited for the Great Teacher Award. The coupon on next page can be used. Make checks payable to the SIU Alumni Association and earmark for the Great Teacher Award, sending them to the SIU Alumni Office, Carbondale, Illinois 62903.



## Alumni Board Nominations Requested

In revising the constitution and by-laws of the Alumni Association last June, the Legislative Council and later the association membership at the Alumni Banquet voted as one change to expand the board of directors from 12 to 16 members and to create a nominating committee for board vacancies. Dr. Jack Barrow '49, St. Louis; Maurice Clark '38, Western Springs; Everett E. Miller '39, Lake Bluff, and Roger Spear '48, Carbondale, were appointed to fill the four new seats on the board for one year.

In addition to the vacancies of these four new positions are three others which will occur with the expiration of the terms of Vice President David T. Kenney '47, Carbondale, and board members J. Lester Buford '24-2, '28, Mt. Vernon, and George T. Wilkins '29-2, '37, Edwardsville.

At the Legislative Council meeting Alumni Day the nominating committee will present a report of seven nominees as candidates for the seven board positions. The council will be invited to add nominations at this meeting.

At the present time members of the association are asked to send in their suggestions for nomination of board members and these will be considered by the nominating committee in selecting their slate.

## Enterprising Clubs Hold Telefund Drives

The telefund campaign, innovated by one SIU alumni chapter three years ago, has grown into a full-scale fund-raising enterprise of a dozen clubs this year. Started to raise funds for scholarships and awards, it now encompasses several more important projects designed to assist the University, its faculty and students.

During February the Macon County and Franklin County groups received pledges for more than \$650. Last month the Chicago Area, Jefferson, Madison, and Randolph County chapters conducted their campaigns. Later this spring the Springfield Area, Jackson, Perry, and St. Clair county clubs will hold their drives.

Alumni are telephoned by a committee of club members and asked to contribute to any of the several projects. These include the Roscoe Pulliam Memorial Scholarship Fund, the Alumni Association Student Loan Fund, the Alumni Saluki Award, the Alumni Great Teacher Award, and research projects of individual researchers.

Alumni throughout the country are asked to join the campaign by contributing to any of these worthy projects. Fill out the coupon below and send it with checks made payable to the SIU Alumni Association to the SIU Alumni Office, Carbondale, Illinois 62903.

## Alumni Club Meetings

- April 2** Bond-Clinton Counties. *Royal Cafe, Hoffman*, 6:30 P.M.
- 3** Perry County. Willis Malone, assistant to dean of academic affairs, speaker.
- 4** Kansas City. Prof. C. William Horrell, Department of Printing and Photography, speaker.  
Franklin County
- 10** Bloomington. Prof. E. Claude Coleman, director of Plan A Program, speaker.
- 11** Springfield. Mrs. Mabel Lane Bartlett, associate professor, University School, speaker.
- 18** Peoria. Virgil Seymour, assistant to vice president, Edwardsville Campus, speaker.
- 21** St. Clair County. Dinner meeting, 6:30 P.M., *Fischer's Restaurant*, 220 West Main, Belleville. Rex Karnes, assistant director, Area Services, speaker.
- 22** Randolph County. Dinner meeting, *El Capri, Chester*; Willis Malone, speaker.
- 23** Macon County. Dinner meeting, 6:30 P.M., *Redwood Inn, Decatur*; Ralph Micken, chairman, Department of Speech, speaker.
- 24** Wayne County
- 27** White County. Dinner meeting, *Comer's Restaurant, Carmi*; Don Shroyer, new football coach, speaker.
- 30** Evansville, Ind. Dinner meeting, 7 P.M., *Homestead*; David Kenney, assistant dean, Graduate School, speaker.
- May 2** Chicago. Dinner meeting, *Toffenetti's Restaurant*; David Kenney, speaker.
- 8** Jackson County
- 16** Missouri Area. Jack Buck, KMOX announcer, speaker.
- 17** Madison County

Name ..... Class .....

Address .....

Enclosed is my check (made payable to the SIU Alumni Association) for \$ ..... for the following project(s)

..... Academic Scholarships ..... Research Projects

..... Student Loan Fund ..... Unrestricted

..... Saluki Athletic Award ..... (other)

..... Great Teacher Award

..... Annual Membership Dues, \$4, if not now a member



## Alumni Camp Growing All the Time

In its six years of existence, the Alumni Family Vacation Camp at Little Grassy Lake has grown in size, features, and popularity. The seventh annual alumni camp is no exception. In fact, it will surpass previous camps.

This year the program will be extended to four weeks, beginning Sunday, August 2, and ending Saturday, August 29. Another feature, campers will be welcomed to the alumni camp with a Sunday night supper. This year, too, SIU faculty—administrative personnel who are members of the association will be invited to participate in the camping program.

Three camp plans are offered, as in former years—

1. Campers on the regular program—with cabin and everything furnished but linens—\$30 per week for adults, \$25 per week for children three to 12, and \$15 per week for children under three.

2. Campers who bring their own gear but take meals in the dining room—\$37.50 per week per couple plus \$13.75 per week for each additional member of family, regardless of age.

3. Campers who bring their own gear and cook their own food—\$15 per week per couple plus \$5 per week for each additional member of the family, regardless of age, for campsite and recreation.

A deposit of one-fifth of the week's total cost for the family must be made with reservations. Alumni—graduates and former students—who are not members of the association must also enclose \$4 for a one-year membership.

For cancellations there is a charge of 10 per cent of the total deposit if made 15 days or more prior to camp. If cancellations are made less than 15 days before camp, the entire deposit is forfeited.

Because of the limited facilities, 100 persons can be accommodated per week. So it's a first come first served basis for reservations. A brochure with full details will be mailed to all alumni.

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## Sports at Southern

by Fred Huff

With Southern's track team having already opened its outdoor season and Saluki baseball, tennis, and golf teams home from southern trips, it appears obvious spring sports are about to take command.

Many of the athletes' names will be familiar to SIU fans, but Coaches Lew Hartzog, Glenn (Abe) Martin, Lynn Holder, and Carl Sexton all have a few rookies hoping to steal a bit of the limelight from returning regulars.

Track headliners undoubtedly will be Bill Cornell, Chelmsford, England; George Woods, Sikeston, Mo.; and Brian Turner, London, England. Cornell has set several meet records this

winter, including a new Mason-Dixon Games mark of 1:50.9 in the half-mile, and Woods topped the 60-foot mark in the shot put for the first time while competing in the Central Collegiate Conference meet at Notre Dame. He won with a toss of 60-71½.

However, Hartzog is expecting big things from several others, too. Jack Peters, a Morton senior, has given early indications of providing a strong leg on Southern's various relay teams which will be competing in the Texas, Kansas, and Drake Relays.

Upcoming sophomores who have been impressive include Gary Carr, Mt. Vernon, Ind.; Jerry Fendrich, Evansville, Ind.; Herman Gary, St. Louis; Bill Lindsay, Washington, D.C., and Bob Wheelwright, Roanoke.

Martin has a strong trio of holdover hurlers in John Hotz, Webster Groves, Mo.; Ed Walter, Mt. Carmel; and Gene Vincent, Rockport, Ind., and is well fixed behind the plate where captain Mike Pratte, Bonne Terre, Mo., is returning for his final campaign. Hotz, Walter and Vincent were credited with 12 of Southern's 15 wins last season while Pratte was the club's number three hitter with a .316 mark.

Jim Long, senior first baseman from Elmhurst, should also supply a major portion of Southern's offensive punch. The veteran infielder slapped out 28 hits in 76 at-bats for a neat .368 average a year ago and is being heavily counted on this season. Another returning veteran, John Siebel, Lemay, Mo., was over the magic .300 mark and could move up even higher this spring.

Gib Snyder, former Murphysboro prep star, will steady the infield defensively while Coach Martin is hoping newcomers like Ken Everett, Taylorville; Alan Peludat, East St. Louis, and Kent Collins, Albion, can fill in the remaining gaps.

Only anticipated new face on Southern's tennis team will be Al Pena, South American ace who is expected to replace the graduated George Domenech of Santurce, Puerto Rico.

Pena's teammates are holdovers Francisco (Pacho) Castillo, Hamtramck, Mich.; Lance Lumsden, Kingston, Jamaica; the Sprengelmeyer brothers, Roy and Bob, Dubuque, Ia., and Wilson Burge, Danville.

Lumsden is perhaps the classiest of the outfit, but has been pushed at times by Castillo. Pacho posted a 14-4 record a year ago as compared to Lumsden's 11-4, but the latter was occupying the number one position in most meets as Southern gained 16 wins in 18 outings.

Top record-holder, however, was Bob Sprengelmeyer who was unbeaten in dual competition. Brother Roy dropped only one match while Burge was 13-3.

Five of Southern's six golf spots also appear to be filled by veterans. Returning are Jim Place, Freeport; Allan Kruse, Mt. Prospect; John Krueger, Bloomington, and West Frankfort's Gene Carello and Jerry Kirby.

The sixth spot may be filled by any one of several candidates, according to Coach Holder.



## SOUTHERN SKETCHES

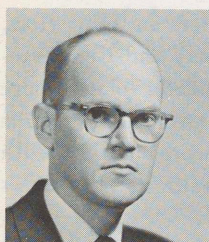
### Alumni Calendar

**June 13** Alumni Day. Reunions of classes ending in 4 and 9 and Class of 1963

**October 31** Homecoming

### Department Chairman Dies

Dennis L. Trueblood, appointed chairman of the Department of Guidance last summer, died February 8 in Chicago



Professor Trueblood

following open heart surgery. He was 38. Mr. Trueblood was professor of higher education and member of the faculty since 1957. Native of Terre Haute, Ind., he had a bachelor's degree from Indiana State Teachers College and a master's and a doctoral degree from Indiana University. He was president of the American College Student Personnel Association, assistant editor of the Illinois Guidance and Personnel Association Newsletter, coordinator of graduate self-study for the North Central Association at SIU, author of more than 50 articles, and member of the National Vocational Guidance Association, Association of Higher Education, American Psychological Association, Phi Delta Kappa, and American Association of University Professors.

A memorial fund has been established by the SIU Foundation. Contributions may be sent to Robert Gallegly, Business Manager, Southern Illinois University.

SIU has jumped five places in full-time student enrollment over last year to become 23rd in size among the nation's colleges and universities. There are 18,247 students on the Carbondale and Edwardsville Campuses. Southern is 33rd in the nation in total enrollment, which includes night, Saturday, and extension class students, the same rank as last year. Fall enrollment was a 12.1 per cent increase over last year, compared to a national average increase of 6.4 per cent.

Exactly 150 students had perfect 5. grade averages at Carbondale last fall. An additional 931 averaged 4.25 or better to make the Dean's List. . . . Student teachers in Chicago and 30 southern Illinois towns numbered 249 during winter term.

### Spring Events on Tap

May 7 through 10 marks the annual Spring Festival. The theme is "The Wonderful World of Fiction." There will be a picnic in honor of mothers, a midway with shows and concessions, house decorations, and the crowning of "Miss Southern." Louis A. Sucich, Granite City, is chairman. . . . April 4 will be a busy day on campus with high school students as guests of the School of Home Economics, the School of Agriculture, and at the School of Technology Engineering Open House. On April 17-18 the Vocational-Technical Institute will hold its annual open house at its Southern Acres campus. . . . The 1964 Photo Fair, sponsored by the Department of Printing and Photography, Kappa Alpha Mu, and the SIU Photographic Society, will be April 5 at University Center.

Judy Lloyd, senior in speech from Chicago and president of Cap and Tassel, and William Gerry Howe, mathematics and economics major from Carbondale and vice president of the student body and chairman of Student Council, received the Service to Southern awards at the 17th annual Theta Xi Variety Show last month. . . . The SIU Student Forum has been organized on the Carbondale Campus under the auspices of Pi Kappa Delta, national forensics honorary fraternity.

### C-47 Joins Air Fleet

The first Air Force C-47 airplane to be given to a public agency under a new federal donation program was acquired by Southern recently through the Illinois State Surplus Property Office in Springfield. Known as the "work horse" among planes, it is the largest in the University's fleet of 10 planes, capable of carrying 20 to 22 passengers. The twin-engine craft was used by the AF Air Attache at the U.S. Embassy in Tehran, Iran. . . . A new Cadillac automobile engine and automatic transmission, a Pontiac Tempest engine and transmission, and a Chevy II engine and transmission have been donated by General Motors Corporation to the Vocational-Technical Institute for training use. Other VTI gifts include \$800 worth of dental laboratory equipment and four government surplus machines for the machine tool technology laboratory.

### Spanish Faculty Here on Parole

A research team, experts in crystallography and molecular structure and formerly with the University of Madrid in Spain, arrived on campus in February, five months late. Jose Luis Amoros and Mrs. Maria Luisa Canut were appointed by the Board of Trustees last April to join the faculty in September. Both applied for immigration quota numbers and visas to the U.S. but because the quota from Spain is small, they had to wait. Finally the Defense Department granted the two a special "parole" with immigration authorities when Mr. Amoros was awarded an Air Force research contract at Southern in order to enter the country and begin work.

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